

Property and Stock Agents (Qualifications) Amendment Order 2022

under the

Property and Stock Agents Act 2002

I, the Minister for Fair Trading, make the following Order under the *Property and Stock Agents Act 2002*, section 15.

Dated 15 November 2022.

VICTOR DOMINELLO, MP Minister for Fair Trading

Explanatory note

This Order amends the Property and Stock Agents (Qualifications) Order 2019 to—

- (a) add a diploma that is a relevant diploma for certain class 1 licences, and
- (b) clarify the qualifications required for the issue of a class 1 real estate agent's licence with an on-site residential property manager restriction condition for persons who have not previously held a licence, and
- (c) add a certificate IV to a pathway for a class 2 strata managing agent's licence, and
- (d) establish an extra pathway for a person to be issued with a certificate of registration as an assistant strata managing agent.

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1 Name of Order

This Order is the *Property and Stock Agents (Qualifications) Amendment Order* 2022.

2 Commencement

This Order commences on the day on which it is published on the NSW legislation website.

Schedule 1 Amendment of Property and Stock Agents (Qualifications) Order 2019

[1] Clause 8 Definitions

Omit the definition of *relevant diploma*. Insert instead—

relevant diploma means-

- (a) for the issue of a real estate agent's licence or stock and station agent's licence—
 - (i) Diploma of Property (Agency Management) (CPP51119), or
 - (ii) Diploma of Property Services (Agency Management) (CPP50307), or
 - (iii) Diploma of Property (Agency Management) (CPP51122), or
- (b) for the issue of a strata managing agent's licence—
 - (i) Diploma of Property (Agency Management) (CPP51119), or
 - (ii) Diploma of Property Services (Agency Management) (CPP50307), or
 - (iii) Diploma of Property (Agency Management—Strata) (CPP51122).

[2] Clause 12 Class 1 real estate agent's licence with on-site residential property manager restriction condition

Insert "the required units of" before "Certificate" in clause 12(3)(a).

[3] Clause 12(3)(c)

Insert at the end of clause 12(3)(b)—

, or

(c) if, immediately before the commencement of the amending order, the person was enrolled in Certificate IV in Real Estate Practice with a registered training organisation—has satisfactorily completed Certificate IV in Real Estate Practice within 12 months after the commencement of the amending order.

[4] Clause 12(6)

Insert after clause 12(5)—

(6) In this clause—

amending order means the Property and Stock Agents (Qualifications) Amendment Order 2022.

satisfactorily completed the required units of Certificate IV in Real Estate Practice means completing Certificate IV in Real Estate Practice (CPP41419) with a registered training organisation demonstrating satisfactory completion of—

- (a) the 5 core units, and
- (b) of the elective units—
 - (i) the following 4 elective units—
 - (A) Establish landlord relationships (CPPREP4121),
 - (B) Transact in trust accounts (CPPREP4125),
 - (C) Manage onsite residential property (CPPREP4181),
 - (D) Manage short-term or holiday letting (CPPREP4510), and

(ii) any 9 other elective units.

[5] Clause 22 Class 2 strata managing agent's licence

Omit clause 22(5). Insert instead—

(5) In this clause—

satisfactorily completed Certificate IV in Strata Community Management means completing either of the following with a registered training organisation—

- (a) Certificate IV in Strata Community Management (CPP40516),
- (b) Certificate IV in Strata Community Management (CPP40521) demonstrating satisfactory completion of the unit Handle strata community funds held in trust (CPPSCM4085).

[6] Clause 26

Omit the clause. Insert instead—

26 Assistant strata managing agent

(1) A person may be issued with a certificate of registration as an assistant strata managing agent if the person satisfies one of the pathways set out in this clause.

(2) Pathway 1

The person has satisfactorily completed the following units of Certificate IV in Strata Community Management (CPP40516) with a registered training organisation—

- (a) Work in the property industry (CPPDSM3016),
- (b) Implement customer service strategies in the property industry (CPPDSM4048),
- (c) Communicate effectively to support customer service in real estate (CPPREP3002) or Communicate with clients in the property industry (CPPDSM3019),
- (d) Identify and analyse risks and opportunities in the property industry (CPPDSM4028),
- (e) Work in the strata community management sector (CPPDSM3017),
- (f) Monitor a safe workplace in the property industry (CPPDSM4057),
- (g) Manage conflicts and disputes in the property industry (CPPDSM4056).

(3) Pathway 2

The person has satisfactorily completed the following with a registered training organisation—

- (a) the following units of Certificate IV in Strata Community Management (CPP40521)—
 - (i) Identify and analyse risks in strata community management (CPPSCM4028),
 - (ii) Apply knowledge of WHS laws in the workplace (BSBWHS307),
 - (iii) Access and interpret legislation in strata community management (CPPSCM4009),

- (iv) Source and extract information from strata plans (CPPSCM3020),
- (b) the unit Work effectively in strata community management (CPPSCM3017).